

Michaelman budget faces meat ax

Last week the S.A. financial committee began deliberations on the 1978-79 budget.

S.A. Treasurer Timothy P. Guidera opened the initial meeting by telling the committee members budget cuts were necessary. The slashes are necessary to pay off a debt incurred by WWPV-FM last year.

The exact amounts of budget slashes in clubs and organizations are undetermined as of press time. However, several figures, ranging from \$6,000 to \$10,000, have been proposed for the *Michaelman* informally by executive board members.

Most people involved in deciding the *Michaelman* allocation are ignorant of the variable and fixed costs of printing a weekly newspaper. Last year, 22 issues plus a special freshman photo issue

were printed at a total cost of \$11,500. Add to this an estimated \$3,000 to cover photography, bookstore, telephone, postage expenses, and stipends and commissions, and the operating expenses of the *Michaelman* amounted to approximately \$14,500.

The 1977-78 student senate allocated \$10,500 to the *Michaelman* to pay these costs. The \$4,000 difference was made up through advertising revenues.

If the senate proceeds with the threatened cut in this year's allocation, the *Michaelman* will still be printed, but it will be barely recognizable. Advertising currently constitutes 30 to 40 percent of the paper. If the senate allocates \$8,000, ads would have to cover 50 to 60 percent of the paper (four to five pages in an eight page issue).

The rationale offered by Guidera

for cutting the *Michaelman* budget is absurd. Guidera contends that the paper is of poor quality and therefore deserves less money. How could a cut in funds improve the paper?

The Associated Collegiate Press, a national organization of college newspapers, disagrees with the S.A. treasurer's assessment of the quality of the *Michaelman*. Last year, an ACP panel of journalists rated the *Michaelman* along with other U.S. college papers. It gave the *Michaelman* a first class rating (good to superior). The Pepperdine University newspaper (in California) was the only paper of comparable size given the same rating as the *Michaelman*.

S.A. Vice President Robert Heroux, a self-appointed expert on advertising, asked why, if the Road Apple can operate at a profit, the

Michaelman can't.

The question is absurd. The *Michaelman* is an entirely different kind of publication from the Road Apple. The most obvious difference is in their methods of printing.

The Road Apple is run off on a stencil. The only substantial cost is the paper it is printed on. The *Michaelman* is printed on an offset press at an approximate cost of \$450 for an eight page issue. This includes the cost of all materials from newsprint (at \$186 per issue) to having copy set in type (at \$21 per hour, and 10 hours a week).

Commercial newspapers make profits only because they consist of 60 to 70 percent advertising. Subscriptions also bring in a substantial amount of money. The *Michaelman* is prohibited by its by-laws from having more than 60 percent advertising in any one

issue. If a newspaper the size of the *Michaelman* was 70 percent advertising, in a 12 page issue there would only be three to four pages of copy.

Suggestions that the *Michaelman* be printed Road Apple fashion are immature. The *Michaelman*, as the only S.A.-funded newspaper on campus, reflects the college. The paper is distributed downtown and subscriptions are mailed to people through New England. It is essential that the paper, which is representative of the college, be presentable and professional.

If the *Michaelman* is to improve in content, style and graphics, the budget must not be cut.

—The Editorial Board

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Benefit concert loses money

by Marianne Bavaro

With 4000 seats available for a concert held in Ross Sports Center, another failure appears to be the verdict as only an estimated audience of 1500 showed up last Friday night for the Jonathan Edwards rathskeller benefit.

Financial figures won't officially be available until next week. However, at the student senate meeting Tuesday night, Social Committee Co-chairman Jill A. Moffit said that 450 tickets, priced at \$3.50, had been sold to St. Michael's students.

Director of Special Events Rev. Thomas Hoar estimated there to be 1500 people at the concert. This leaves 1050 persons paying \$4.50 for tickets. Using these figures, \$6300 was paid by persons attending the event.

Last week, Student Association Treasurer Timothy P. Guidera said the concert would cost between \$8000 and \$9000 to produce. This leaves a deficit, and ultimately, no money for a rathskeller.

Some students have theorized that the reason concerts are repeatedly unsuccessful in the gym is because of the strict no smoking-no drinking regulations. Although others reply that people shouldn't need these things to enjoy a concert, nonetheless, many maintain they do.

Most students who did attend enjoyed it, and except for a few rude disruptions during Tom Rush, it ran smoothly.

However, the German Oktoberfest, also sponsored by the social committee, was a big success. Approximately 1000 persons paid \$2 apiece at the north campus gym to attend the festival.

Wendell Cook's German Band played heartily through the night.

Dark beer was served instead of the usual keg variety and ethnic food was available.

The turnout was so large that the kegs dried up at midnight, but many stayed anyway to enjoy the event.

Residents of Kappa House waitressed the event. For their work, they receive all profits.

In other homecoming news, the hayrides for touring alumni were called off due to the heavy rain. Although the football team played despite the weather, the half-time show and sky-diving had to be cancelled.

The Knights played Assumption hard but unsuccessfully, with a 35-0 loss. The weather was so bad that the cheerleaders were told not to do kicks, because mud was flying up into the stands. The crowd was sparse but supportive.

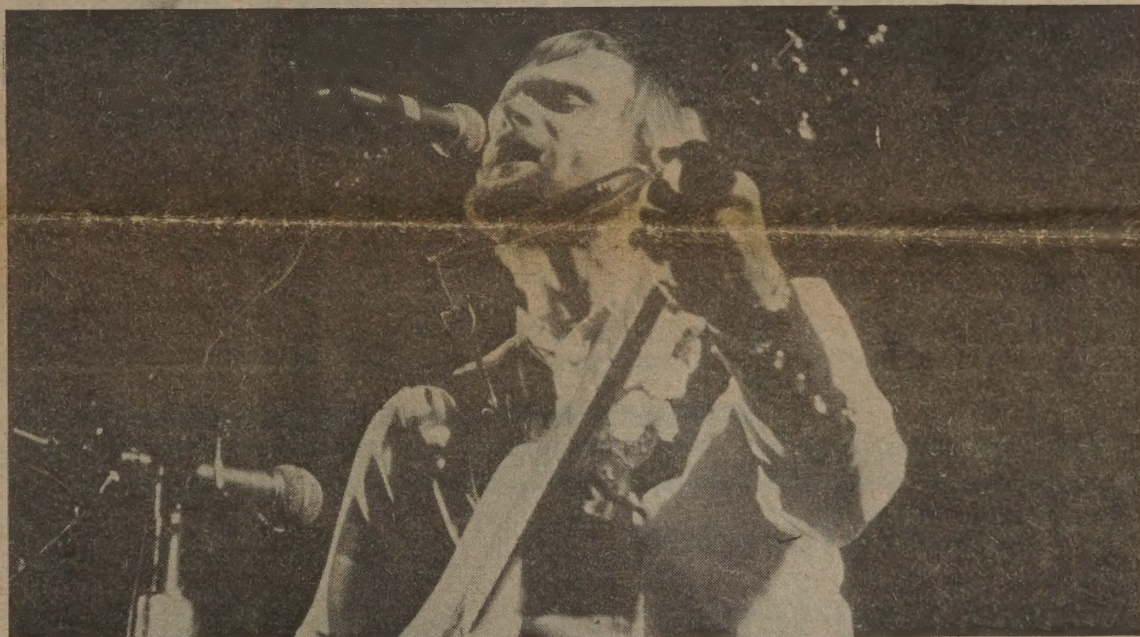
The soccer team played a good game on Saturday also, defeating Norwich University 3-1.

Alumni attended an awards dinner and social hour in Alliot Hall Saturday evening. General homecoming chairman Owen Murphy, Jr., presented "alumnus of the year" awards to Paul Provost (1963), Raymond O'Keefe (1963), Edward O'Brien (1948) and Michael O'Keefe (1958).

The Alumni President's Award was presented to Rev. Jeremiah T. Purtil, SSE.

The class of 1953's anniversary gift to the school was a check for \$6,000 with more to come. The option to donate is open to class members until December.

Homecoming Weekend officially ended Sunday morning at a communion breakfast following a homecoming Mass in honor of returning alumni, concelebrated by returning priests.



Jonathan Edwards kicks out a version of "Shanty" Ross Sports Center-style Friday night after Ina May Wool and Tom Rush warmed up the less-than-capacity but more-than-enthusiastic Homecoming crowd.

Photo by Rob Swanson

WWPV debt gets priority

Committee begins budget; organizations face cuts

by Neal Muse

The Senate financial committee began drafting the 1978-79 student association budget Oct. 12. S.A. Treasurer Timothy P. Guidera presented fund requests from six organizations: The *Michaelman*, WWPV-FM, the drama club, outing club, S.A. executive board and the S.A. social committee. The requests totaled more than \$40,000.

Guidera pointed out that the student activities fees totaled \$46,935 but \$14,250 has already been committed to the 1978 Hilltop and \$4,900 was used to pay WWPV's debts. This leaves the committee \$27,779 with which to work.

The committee agreed that all of the organizations' requests were excessive. WWPV did not submit a request until shortly before the committee began its deliberations, although the deadline for such requests was Sept. 29.

Discussion of The *Michaelman* request centered around the quality of the paper. S.A. President Brian J. Rooke said many students felt the paper was of poor quality, although he did not cite any statistics to back up his claim. Rooke did claim that in a conversation with President Edward L. Henry, Henry said, "The *Michaelman* is a piece of garbage." Henry, through an of-

fice spokesman, denied saying this.

Rathskeller

Construction of the proposed St. Michael's College rathskeller should begin the third week of December, S.A. President Brian Rooke said at Tuesday's senate meeting. The cost will be \$13,000 to \$15,000, he said. He explained that it would be funded by the administration.

Rooke said there would be a problem serving food at the

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Qwik Stop checks policy

by Tom Liptak

The College Parkway Qwik Stop has put an end to its policy of redeeming customer checks for cash and will now only cash checks for the amount of purchase, according to co-proprietor Carmen Mathieu.

In past semesters, the Qwik Stop had acted much like a local bank, and students would line up on most Friday and Saturday afternoons to cash their checks for weekend excursions downtown.

This former policy resulted in bogus checks totalling over \$1,000 in last year's fall semester alone.

"This year it's been different

altogether," said Matthieu, who, together with her husband, Jim runs the store. "Since we're only cashing checks for the amount of purchase, students seem to be more conscious of what they're spending their checks on."

There have been only three bad checks cashed in the last month, Mrs. Matthieu said. In some months last year, up to 20 bad checks were cashed.

"We'd come to the point where we weren't going to cash any out-of-state checks," she said, "but that would have limited a lot of students."

"We're still getting a lot of

checks," she added, "but there aren't as many bad ones."

"If a student bounces a check, we'd appreciate it if they'd come in and let us know. If they don't have the money right away, we'll understand. Usually if they come in right away and tell us about the bad check, then we'll still cash checks for them."

Judd visit planned for SMC next week

Dr. Walter Judd, a former Republican U.S. representative from Minnesota, will visit St. Michael's College next week as a Congressional Fellow from the Former Members of Congress Organization.

Judd, who served in Congress from 1943 until 1963, will speak at classes, hold office hours and participate in informal discussions. The St. Michael's College political science department is hosting his visit.

The former representative is a World War I veteran and throughout his public career has been interested in international relations.

Heroux speaks out on budget, role of VP

by John Manchester

Newly elected S.A. vice president Bob Heroux said his plans range from cutting budgets to getting along with S.A. President Brian J. Rooke.

Heroux said funds for a number of S.A. funded programs could be cut. He cited the Michaelman and the campus yearbook as two examples where more "fiscal responsibility" was possible.

"If the Michaelman can get moving and use proper fiscal restraints, they could put out a quality paper for less money," he theorized. He also said that if "they use a tight budget and do not overspend, their budget could be cut by a substantial amount." Heroux feels that with closer fiscal scrutiny the Michaelman could afford to operate on less money funded by the S.A.

Heroux also said that the yearbook could make more of an effort to be self-supporting. He thinks they could make some money themselves by fund raising.

Heroux said his relationship with Rooke will be a professional rather than a personal one. He said his

opposition to Rooke has been on "the issues and not personality." He said that Rooke "has been informative, and very helpful and I look forward to having a good working relationship with him."

He said his job as vice president of the senate is similar to that of a referee. "My job is to enforce all the rules of the senate."

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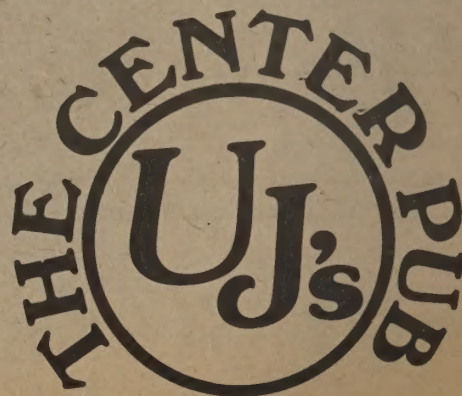
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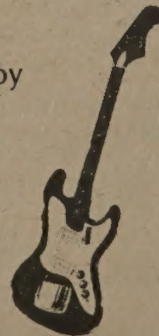
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Broadcasting board selects managers

by Randy Walker

Matthew Bowen was appointed general manager of WWPV and Patrick Slatery was named program director by the station's board of directors Monday, according to the board's faculty representative, John Engels. A business manager will be selected "within a few days."

Currently the major concern of the board is firming up the program schedule. A diverse schedule is being developed to include educational and cultural programming, public affairs shows and possibly even live broadcasts of football and hockey games.

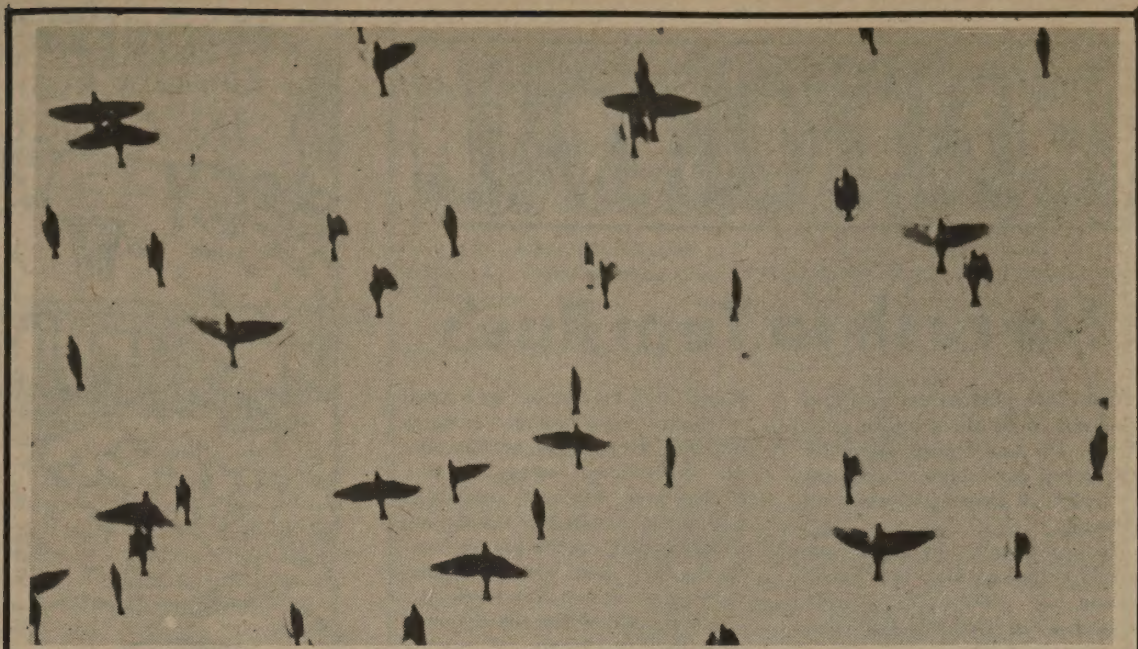
"We (the broadcasting board) plan to work closely with the new general manager and program director to insure that the needs of the St. Michael's community are

met," commented Edward Curvino, a student representative to the board, in a statement to the student senate Tuesday night.

The broadcasting board is comprised of an administrative representative, Ernest Guilmain; a faculty advisor, John Engels; two student representatives, Christopher Whelan and Curvino; and the station's general and business managers.

Whelan indicated Tuesday that WWPV personnel will be training new announcers during the next few days.

He and Curvino both expressed hope that the station would begin broadcasting "sometime next week."



There's white stuff in the mountains (and valley!) and the season passes are selling faster than quarter beers, but for many, southbound is the only way to go.

Photo by Rob Swanson

Rathskeller..

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rathskeller. "Saga corp. can't serve food under a rathskeller situation," he went on.

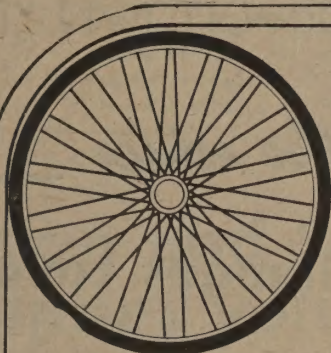
When asked about Vermont law requiring that food be available where alcoholic beverages are served, Rooke stated, "We are going to have to work our way around the law." However, he did stress that food would be served.

He added that in order to have a rathskeller the S.A. must compromise. One possible compromise would be the limiting of dormitory drinking, he said.

Serving alcoholic beverages, Rooke went on, is only a minor function of the rathskeller. He said it could be used for many entertainment and social gatherings.

At the meeting, the fire prevention committee announced that the St. Michael's fire department bought a new fire engine. The fire and rescue squad also would like to build an addition to the fire house and buy a new ambulance. The squads are not included in the S.A. budget and must rely on contributions.

S.A. Social Committee Co-chairman Jill Moffitt said that the Jonathan Edwards concert was a success for all who attended. But she noted that less than 450 St. Michael's students bought tickets for the concert.



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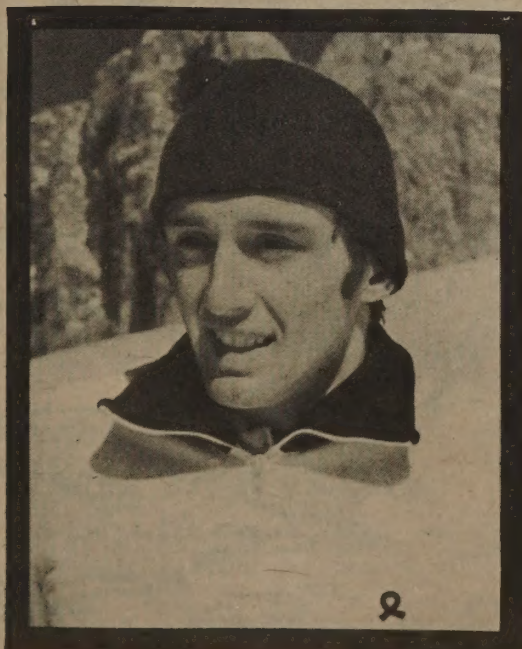
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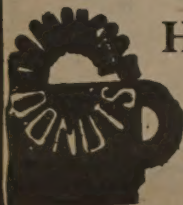
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EDITORIAL

No rush to Tom Rush

With only 1500 tickets sold and hundreds of dollars spent on promotion, it is now imperative for the S.A. social committee to reassess the value of staging concerts on campus.

First, ascertain why there was such a dismal turnout, specifically among St. Michael's College students. Why were only 450 tickets bought on campus?

Part of the poor turnout can be attributed to the "Catch-22" situation in which the social committee finds itself. The committee cannot or will not take a major risk by investing a sum of money larger than the \$8,000 to \$9,000 spent on the Jonathan Edwards show. Thus the school cannot attract bigger name performers (i.e. Van Morrison, Jethro Tull) and the concert is doomed to fail from the start.

Another problem was on-campus advertising. Social committee co-chairmen Michael Lennon and Jill Moffitt were "out-

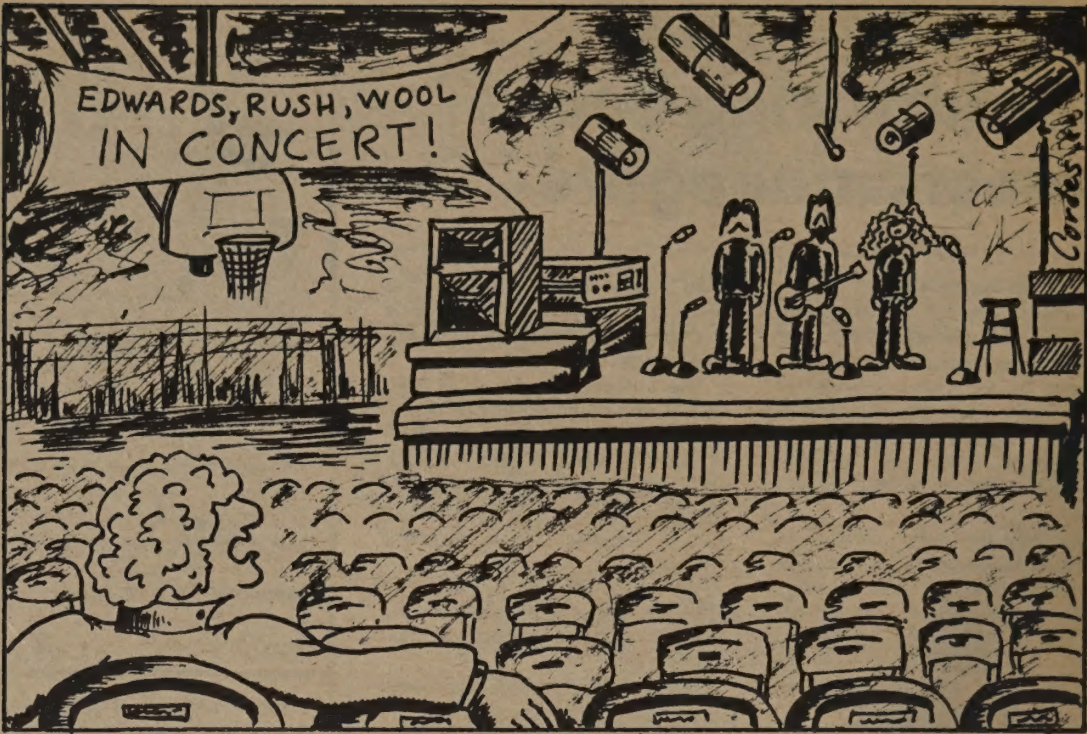
raged" that they would be treated no better than ordinary students and only get a 33 percent discount on advertising rates in *The Michaelman*. Ironically, Moffitt is one of the members of the student senate calling on *The Michaelman* to depend more on advertising revenue and less on S.A. funding.

Lennon and Moffitt subsequently cancelled a half page ad (regular cost, \$52.50; discount rate, \$35.00) in protest.

The Aztec-Two-Step concert last year was only supposed to open up "a new avenue in entertainment on campus." At least this was the rationalization used to justify its financial loss. But the financial loss of a concert billed as a fund-raiser cannot be justified.

The social committee's next step is crucial. Its members must assess whether students want concerts staged on campus enough to justify the hours of work donated by the committee members.

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Letters to the editor

Anders challenges coverage of dismissal

To the editor:

While recently perusing back copies of your publication, an apparently strange situation caught my attention. I was so shocked and puzzled by this, that I decided something should be said.

Recent copies of the *Michaelman* have carried many column inches about internal troubles at the "Progressive Voice," WWPV-FM. The trials and tribulations of the announcers, ex-

ecutive board, and other persons involved were documented rather heavily by both staff writers and letter writers.

Last Wednesday night, Oct. 11, there was a meeting of the board of directors of *The Michaelman* Publishing Association concerning the dismissal of the paper's news editor. By a two-to-one vote, the action was upheld. Not one iota of newshole was devoted to this incident. At least, not in *The Michael-*

man.

If *The Michaelman* revels in publicizing the "in-house" problems of other campus groups (the student senate, WWPV) in their weekly discharge, are they not setting a dangerous double standard for themselves. I leave it up to you to decide.

Journalistically,
Brian J. Anders
former news editor
The Michaelman

Heroux: editorial cartoon in poor taste

To the editor:

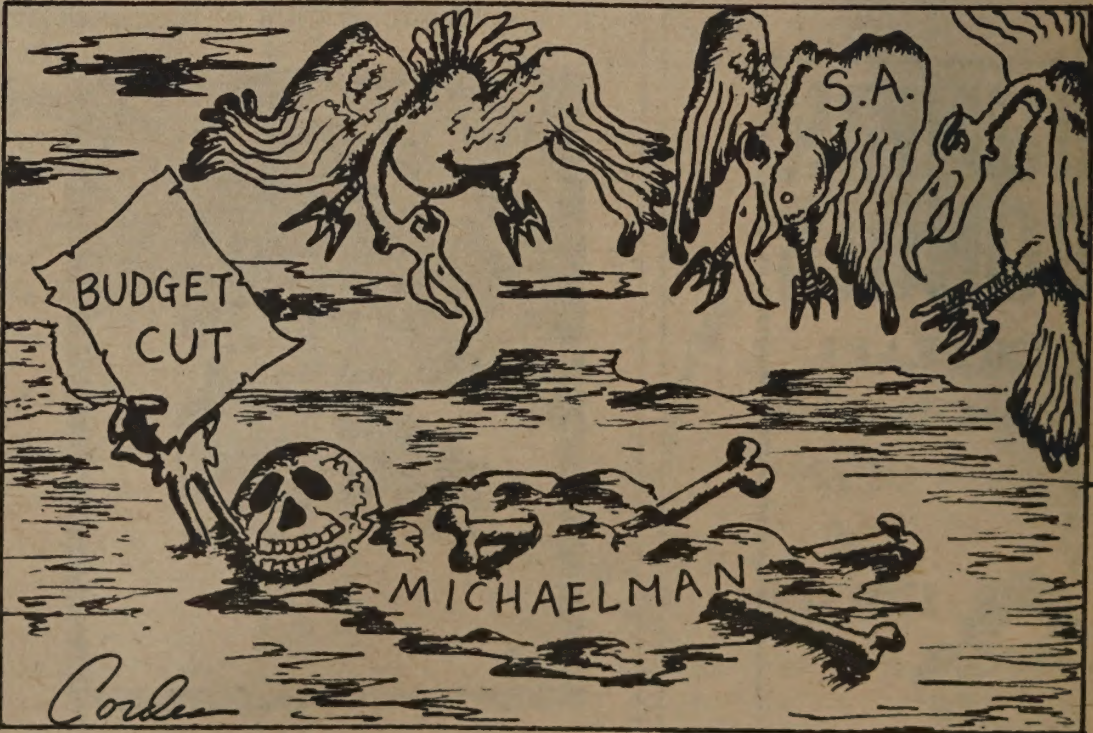
I would like to take this time to thank all those who helped me in the last election, without their help my election would not have been possible.

I also think that it is necessary to issue a complaint. I thought it was

very bad taste to print the editorial cartoon you had for Homecoming Weekend. It was unfair to the members of the executive board and to Maureen Sullivan. It gave the wrong impression to many alumni and, in my opinion, was factually incorrect. In fact Brian Rooke, Tim Guidera, and Chris

Whelan deserve my deepest thanks for helping me during this transitional period. I hope that in future you show better taste in your cartoons.

Sincerely
Bob Heroux
S.A. vice president



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Ouellet leads talk on 'death'

by Kathy Damiata

Death. Even the mention of the word brings to mind a number of negative thoughts. Woody Allen summed it up when he said, "I'm not afraid of death, I just don't want to be there when it happens." Why are we so afraid of death? Are there any ways to alleviate the fear and pain brought on by death?

These were a few of the questions brought up by the Rev. Maurice Ouellet in a short discussion on death and dying at the Student Resource Center. "Death is looked upon as a negative, as the absence of life, but actually it is only going from a state of being to a state of being," he said.

The purpose of the discussion was to deal with death in a personal way, and help students understand their feelings about it. "It is necessary to know about death," Ouellet said, "in order to know about life."

Dr. Kubler Ross's five states of death were discussed. These are denial, anger, bargaining, revenge, and acceptance.

Ross maintains that it is important not only for the dying to go

through these steps, but also for the living who accompany the dying. When a person is conscious of these stages, it is easier to deal with those who are dying.

Ouellet ended the discussion saying he would be willing to continue the topic in greater depth at some other time, if enough interest is shown.

Curator of Notre Dame organ talks at SMC

by Karen Parker

Francois Carbou, curator of the organ at Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris, lectured about the organ and gave a slide presentation at St. Michael's Oct. 12.

Over 200 slides were accompanied by music performed on the organ itself. Carbou described the presentation as a "feast for the eyes and ears."

There were two parts to the show. The first included slides of the working parts of the organ: the pipes, the five keyboards, and the stops. It also included the stained glass windows in the cathedral. Symphony III by Vierne and Prelude and Fugue by Dupre were the

organ pieces played in this section.

The second half of the program presented slides of the huge beams that support the organ. It also included some scenes of the outside of the church. This half of the lecture was accompanied by Introduction and Scherzo, Fugue and finale, all of which were improvised by Pierre Cochereau, who is the principal organist at Notre Dame.

Curator of the organ for 26 years, Carbou began his job when he was 17. His job was to turn the pages of the music. Eleven years ago he became the co-ordinator of Sunday recitals, when well-known musicians from all over the world play. Every Sunday, 3,000 to 4,000 people attend these recitals.

SMC to be re-accredited

by George Cordes

A Steering Committee has been formed as the first step in an intensive self-study aimed at preparing St. Michael's College for a visit by an accreditation team in 1980.

Dr. Vernon Gallagher, dean of students, announced that the team, sent by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges, will consist of a group of peers from other regional schools. The association, of which the college is a voluntary member, sends such a team every ten years to verify the standards needed for re-accreditation.

The Steering Committee, headed by Gallagher with the consent of President Edward L. Henry, has already begun to examine various facets of the college in search of weaknesses and achievements, Gallagher explained.

In anticipation of the April 1980 evaluation, the college has already revised its *Missions Statement*, neared completion on *Faculty Regulations*, completed the new *Student Manual*, started a revised *Staff Manual*, and begun examining course offerings and distribution requirements through the Curriculum Committee.

A Final Report, the compilation in essay form of the findings of each task force, will be prepared and copies handed to members of the administration, faculty, student body, and the visiting committee, Gallagher reported. "We want a report that will serve as a guideline for years to come," he explained.

According to a flow chart prepared by the Steering Committee, planning completion is tentatively set for Dec. 1. Committees will begin their actual study Jan. 1, 1979, and complete the self-evaluation by Oct. 1 of the same year. The Final Report will be compiled by Dec. 1, 1979, ready for typing and duplication.

A Planning Committee, headed by Dr. Edward Murphy, has also been formed, according to Dr. Gallagher. The committee's purpose, he said, will be to take a "long-range view" of the college in expectation of its status in the mid-1980's.

Crown and Sword supplies volunteers

by Mary Hillmer

There are many organizational groups at St. Michael's College, each with its own sphere of influence. In 1957, Paul Kane founded the Crown and Sword Society. "This organization centers around community and college services," said Melanie Demaris, president of Crown and Sword.

There are a variety of offices and departments for public services at St. Michael's in which student involvement is an essential part. Often these departments call on Crown and Sword members for help in such areas as freshman orientation, homecoming, parents' weekend, graduation, and multiple sclerosis dance marathon. This volunteer work includes helping at St. Joseph's orphanage and nurs-

ing home, and providing Christmas presents for the Big Brothers and Sisters program.

The Crown and Sword induction process begins in February for all sophomore and transfer students. A February "smoker" is held so that interested students can meet with and talk to present members. For those interested in joining Crown and Sword, there are interviews with a group of members which enable the applicants to learn more about the society. Then they are asked to meet as many members as possible within a two-week period. A final interview is held and the prospective member is questioned about himself. Through a voting process membership is then earned.

Alcohol Awareness Week

Tuesday, Oct. 24, 1978

4:30 p.m. - Mass, SMC Chapel

7:00 p.m. - Guest Speaker - Ryne Duren (former N.Y. Yankee pitcher) in SMC chapel

Following Mr. Duren's speech there will be an informal reception with refreshments in Alliot Lobby.

Wednesday, Oct. 25, 1978

3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

"Women and Alcohol" Presented by the Alcohol Information and Referral Center. Alliot Lounge.
"Sociology & History of Alcohol." Presented by Dept. of Sociology and Dr. Norbert Kuntz, Dept. of History. Alliot Lounge.
"Alcohol and Nutrition" Presented by Dr. Richard DiLorenzo. Science 107.

4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

"Alcohol and the Family" Presented by the Alcohol Information and Referral Center. Alliot Lounge.
"Sociology & History of Alcohol." Alliot Lounge.
"Alcohol & Nutrition." Science 107.

5:00 p.m.

Reaction Time Demonstration. Presented by Zaf Bludevich. Alliot Lobby.

7:00 & 9:00 p.m.

"A Star is Born" (1976), Movie. Herrouet Theater. Free.

Thursday, Oct. 26, 1978

Educational Seminars

3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

"Alcohol/A Moral Dilemma" Presented by Fr. Ray Doherty and Dr. Joseph Kroger. Alliot Lounge.
"Alcohol & Physiology" Presented by Dr. John Hartnett. Alliot Lounge.

4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

"How Much a Risk am I to Become an Alcoholic?" presented by John Coffin and Todd Centybar of Emergency Alcohol Services. Jemery 10.
"Alcohol/A Moral Dilemma." Alliot Lounge.
"Alcohol & Physiology." Alliot Lounge.
"Dealing with the Problem Drinker." Presented by John Coffin and Todd Centybar of Emergency Alcohol Services. Jemery 10.

Friday, October 27, 1978

"Natural Highs"

5:00 - 6:30 p.m.

6:00 - 9:30 p.m.

"SMC Jazz Band" will perform in Alliot Hall. Spontaneous Activities throughout Alliot Hall to emphasize activities which are not necessarily alcohol related.

Dance Lessons
Backgammon Tournament
Outing Club presentation and films.
Football Films.
Pie Eating Contest.

9:30 p.m.

Coffeehouse. Local Entertainment. Refreshments.

Saturday, October 28, 1978

9:00 p.m. - 1 a.m.

Halloween Party. Sponsored by the Senior Class. North Campus Gym. Admission \$2.00.

The CRASH (Counter-Measures Related to Accident Safety on the Highway) vehicle will be parked on North Campus to provide a courtesy demonstration on breath-test, DWI and you. This is presented for your information only and participation is purely voluntary.

NEWS BRIEFS

On Monday, Oct. 23, a Senior Placement Workshop directed by Mary Pat Strobel will take place. It will be held in the faculty lounge in Klein from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Anyone interested is asked to please sign up in the Student Resource Center.

Interested in a career in law? The pre-law committee will sponsor a meeting for all students who are considering the legal profession as a career option on Thursday, Oct. 26, in J53, at 7 p.m. Topics for discussion will include law school admissions, the LSAT, the rigors of law school, and the opportunities and demands of the legal profession. A member of the Vermont bar will be on hand to speak with students and to answer questions.

Students applying to law schools should meet with members of the pre-law committee. They are Fr. Joseph McLaughlin and Drs. Thomas Andersen, John Hughes, Carey Kaplan and Joel Ross.

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SPORTS

SMC defeats Plattsburg, 4-1

Field hockey team breezes

by John Hoelscher

On a day more suited for ice hockey, the St. Michael's women's varsity field hockey team soundly defeated Plattsburg State Tuesday by a 4-1 margin. While both teams seemed to need time to get used to the adversely cold conditions, St. Michael's proved that nothing could hold it back when the team sensed victory.

While there was much activity in front of both goals, the whistle seemed to stunt any scoring drives before they could be capitalized

on.

It wasn't until 22 minutes into the first period that St. Michael's could mount a successful scoring drive. After taking a penalty corner shot, Wendy Day shuttled the ball to Cathy O'Neil who slammed it in. The Knights scored again at 28:30 when the befuddled Plattsburg goalie kicked at and missed a shot off the stick of Grace Taferner. The assist was credited to O'Neil. This was the end of the scoring in the first half.

St. Michael's came out hustling in the second half but its shut-out veil was pierced just four minutes into the period when Villemare, of Plattsburg, scored unassisted. Play was balanced between the two teams for the next 20 minutes, until the explosive scoring duo of Max Merrick and O'Neil showed its productive teamwork in front. The goal went to Merrick, the assist to O'Neil. St. Michael's put the icing on the cake at the 25 minute mark when Traferner again scored after aggressive play in front. Mel Pizzini showed her skills again by coming up with some big saves, rare as they were, thanks to the strong defensive unit for St. Michael's.



Frosh forward Maxine Merrick cuts through the Plattsburg State backfield during the first half of the field hockey team's 4-1 victory last week. Photo by Rob Swanson

Golfers end season

by George Cordes

The St. Michael's College golf team ended a short season of ups and downs after posting a third place team score of 439 in the state meet against U.V.M. and Middlebury at Burlington Country Club Oct. 11.

The team played in five meets and came away with only one win, a Country Club match against Middlebury on Oct. 4. Led by Mike O'Donnell's score of 79 and Joh Gerretsen and Kevin Eckhart's 80s, the Knights squeezed out the Panthers 406 to 412.

The golfers, coached by Walter Baumann, had their first contest in the Plattsburg tournament Sept. 16, where they placed seventh in a field of nine. Jim Byrne led the barrage from Winooski with an 81. Sept. 25 and 26 the team was at Portsmouth, N.H., where it played in the New England Intercollegiate Meet. The five-man squad placed 32nd of 39 schools.

The major tournament was on Oct. 6, with the Northern E.C.A.C. championship at Dartmouth College. The Knights ranked 12th of 18 schools, with a 331, while U.V.M. captured the title. Gerretsen and Dave Labbe both posted scores of 81 for St. Michael's.

At the state meet, Gerretsen posted a low 79 as Vermont, with a team score of 391, rolled over St. Mike's and Middlebury.

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SMC gridders are routed

by Mark Kendall

Homecoming weekend was a complete washout for the St. Michael's College Purple Knights' club football team as they were routed by Assumption College here last Saturday, 35-0. The loss dropped the Knights' season mark to 0-5.

Head coach Tom Vredenburg said afterwards that the main problem was the "lack of offense" and the inability to maintain any kind of drive.

The tone for the game was set at the opening kickoff which Assumption received and promptly ran all the way back for the score.

With Assumption leading 7-0, the Knights appeared to be putting things together with a fumble recovery at the Assumption 30-yard line. However, Assumption defense held St. Michael's on a fourth down attempt at the Assumption six-yard line.

Assumption later scored on a short drive giving them a 14-0 lead. The highlight of the second quarter was the fine play of the St. Michael's defense. The Knights thwarted an Assumption scoring drive with a brilliant goal line stand.

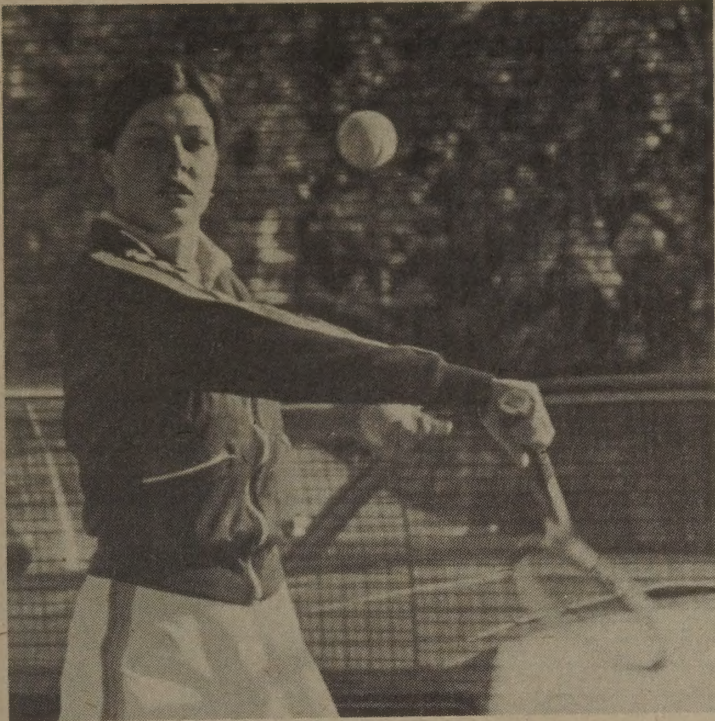
The defensive backfield sparkled with the solid performances of Fred Caruso and Bill Cavanaugh. However, the offense still failed to generate any kind of drive, which was due in part to penalties. This was apparent towards the end of the first half when Mark Fitzgibbons ran a kickoff all the way out to the 50-yard line only to have it called back to the 35 on a clipping penalty.

As the second half started with the Knights trailing 14-0, it was apparent that the momentum was with Assumption as they continued to come up with the big plays. Early in the third quarter, Knights quarter-

back Jeff Jones was intercepted deep in his own territory setting up the third Assumption touchdown. A later fumble by the Knights gave the ball back to Assumption with good field position. Assumption scored a couple plays later, making the score 28-0.

The Purple Knights did show some life late in the fourth quarter

when Chris Durso broke loose for a 54-yard run up the right side. Time soon ran out for the Knights, with Assumption tallying one more score en route to a 35-0 shutout. This Saturday at 10:30 the Knights will end their home season when they are host to a strong Providence College team.



St. Michael's Caryn O'Connor pounds a return to C. Principi of Plattsburg State. O'Connor took the match 3-6, 6-2, 6-4 and the women's team won the contest 6-3 to bring their season record to 3 and 1. Photo by Rob Swanson

Intramural Schedule

Monday, Oct. 23 Men's Flag Football

Omega vs. Nu
GE vs. OCDB

Men's Soccer

AD vs. Ski
Zeta vs. ISP

Women's Soccer

Theta vs. Kappa

Women's Flag Football

Muchi vs. Omicron

Tuesday, Oct. 24 Men's Flag Football

Nu vs. OCDB

Men's Soccer

Omega vs. Siff
Veg. vs. GE
AD vs. Nu

Wednesday, Oct. 25 Men's Flag Football

Nu vs. GE
Omega vs. Zeta

Men's Soccer

AD vs. OCDB
Omega vs. PSI

Women's Flag Football

Kappa vs. Theta

Women's Soccer

Muchi vs. Omicron

Thursday, Oct. 26 Men's Flag Football

GE vs. AD

OCDB vs. PSI

Men's Soccer

Veg. vs. Staff
Zeta vs. Ski

Women's Soccer

SMCW vs. Muchi

Scoreboard

Men's Flag Football (week of Oct. 9-16)

Omega 12, AD 10
PSI 24, Nu 8
AD 12, PSI 0
Omega 32, GE 0

Men's Soccer (week of Oct. 9-16)

Nu 1, Zeta 0
AD 2, Omega 0

Veg. 2, OCDB 1
ISP 2, OCDB 1
GE 2, Nu 1
Staff 2, PSI 1
Veg. 3, AD 0
Omega 3, Zeta 0

Women's Soccer (week of Oct. 9-16)

SMCW 6, Muchi 2
Omicron 5, Muchi 0
Kappa 2, Theta 1

Standings

Men's Soccer (as of Oct. 16)

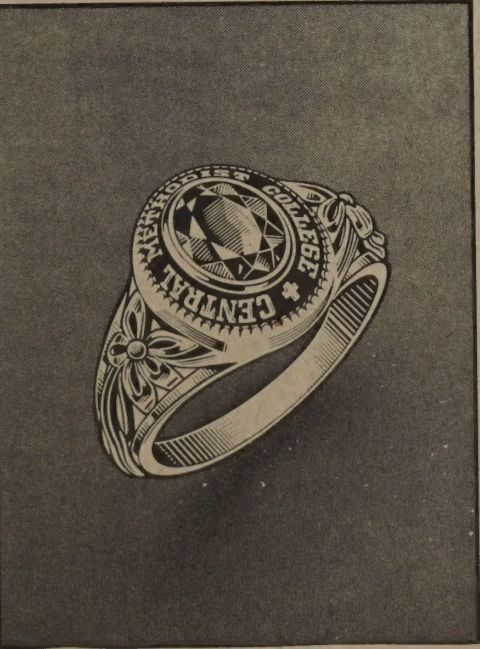
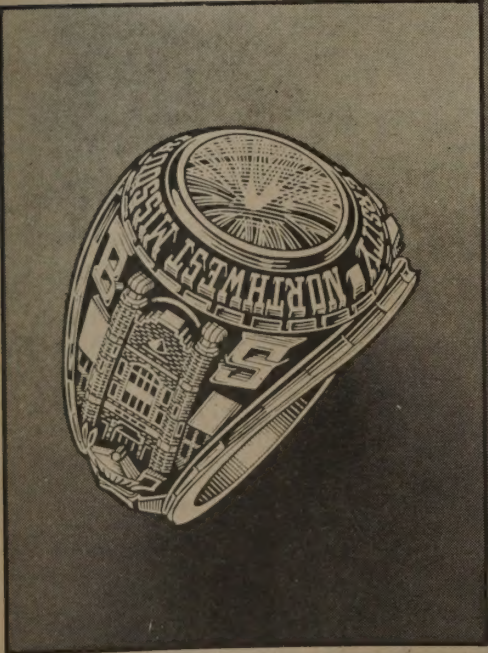
	W	L	T
Staff	4	0	0
GE	4	1	0
ISP	3	0	1
Veg.	3	0	1
Nu	1	1	0
OCDB	2	2	0
Omega	2	3	0
AD	1	3	0
PSI	0	2	0
Zeta	0	4	0

Men's Flag Football (as of Oct. 16)

	W	L	T
Omega	3	0	0
AD	4	1	0
PSI	4	1	0
OCDB	2	1	0
Zeta	0	2	1
Nu	0	3	1
GE	0	2	0

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